



MRS. ROSA BOYER.

MRS. ROSA BOYER, 1421 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Ill., writes: "If any one has reason to praise Peruna it is surely myself."

"Last spring I became so run down from the serious effects of a lingering cold, that several complications united in pulling me down. I could neither eat nor sleep well, and lost flesh and spirit."

"I finally tried Peruna and it did wonders for me. In two weeks I was like another person, and in a month I felt better than I ever had before."

"I thank Peruna for new life and strength. I send you two pictures, so you can see what Peruna has done for me."

Better Than for Years.

Mrs. Mary F. Jones, Burning Springs, Ky., writes:

"I wish to speak a word in praise of your highly valued Peruna, as I have been blessed with the golden opportunity of giving it a fair and impartial test, and can say that I have had better health, far better, since I have been using it than for quite a number of years before."

"One of my neighbors had stomach trouble. I recommended Peruna to her, and now she is well and healthy, after having been pronounced hopeless by several physicians."

Man-a-Lin an Ideal Laxative.

JONNESCO'S NEW SURGERY PLANS

Stovaline Exploiter's Aim Is to Lessen Human Suffering.

PATIENT REMAINS CONSCIOUS

Bucharest Surgeon, Who Will Demonstrate in the United States Use of His Remarkable Anesthetic, Tells of a Sailor Who Talked While Being Operated On.

Professor Thomas Jonnesco, head of the University of Bucharest Medical School in Roumania, who recently arrived at New York to demonstrate to eminent surgeons in the United States how a mixture of neutral sulphate of Stovaline and stovaline injected into a patient about to be operated on will produce a perfect anaesthesia, or insensibility to pain, without any of the bad effects of the anesthetics generally used in surgical operations, says he has nothing to sell. His only aim is that of a humanitarian who wishes to increase as far as possible the use of painless surgery throughout the world. His new analgesia producing mixture has been used by several eminent surgeons in Europe recently to good effect.

Professor Jonnesco lays no claim to the discovery of stovaline, for it was in use long before he, as head of the medical school of the University of Bucharest, began to experiment with the effects of the analgesia. He says, however, that stovaline can be used to produce analgesia successfully only in lower parts of the body where operations are to be performed. Its use alone in the upper parts of the body has been attended with dire results. But by mixing the neutral sulphate of stovaline and stovaline can be used for producing an utter lack of feeling in any part of the body.

Patient Not Deprived of Consciousness. Under his new method, says Professor Jonnesco, a patient can undergo the most difficult operation and remain perfectly conscious throughout, for the "stove" produced by the mixture of stovaline and stovaline does not deprive the patient of consciousness. It merely deadens the pain.

It is told by those who have witnessed his operations that a patient to whom the stovaline and stovaline have been administered can and does that with the surgeon while the knife is being used in an extremely delicate operation. In the case of a sailor who was operated on abroad Dr. Jonnesco inserted a hypodermic needle into the spinal canal between two of the vertebrae at the base of the neck. He injected three centigrams of the mixture dissolved in water. A few minutes later the patient was placed on an operating table, and his shoulders were lowered so that the numbing fluid could just upward. The operation to be performed on the sailor was the removal of tubercular glands from his neck. Two minutes after the fluid had a chance to spread the operation was begun.

No Pain From Knife Thrust.

When the knife was applied the sailor was asked if he felt any pain.

"No," replied the man. Even then the surgeon's knife was deep in his neck.

"Are you quite comfortable?" asked one of the surgeons.

"Yes, quite, thank you," replied the patient.

Professor Jonnesco told of this operation through an interpreter. One of his fellow countrymen, George Soutzo, acted as the interpreter, for Professor Jonnesco speaks no English.

"This sailor, who was about twenty-two years old, talked all the way through the operation," said Professor Jonnesco. "Moreover, he walked away from his operating table after it was all over. Another operation which was successfully performed was on an Irishman forty-seven years old, who had cancer of the stomach. He was not so active as the sailor after the operation, but both were successful. The complete quietude of both during the operation was proof that they experienced no pain."

Professor Jonnesco said that his visit to the United States was only to give Americans the benefit of his discovery free of charge.

To Lessen Pain His Only Reward.

"Some 750 patients have undergone operations by the new method since its discovery in 1908," said the professor. "My reward for the discovery is only this—to lessen pain and suffering in the human family. It is quite enough reward. Once my method is adopted here in America it will be adopted by the whole world, for this is the country in which great achievements in the surgical and medical world are sent broadcast and are given heed to by surgeons throughout the world."

Professor Jonnesco is on a three months' vacation and has many engagements throughout the United States.

To Grow Korean Figs.

California is to try acclimating the Korean wild fig. The fig, growing on a hardy vine, on trees, trellises and hedges grows to a height of thirty feet. Is a delicious fruit. Some of the seed has been sent to the department of agriculture, California State university. The fig grows wild in Korea and has proved of great value there.

An Exchange of Courtesies.

A couple of men got into a warm argument and finally came to blows. After the fracas a spectator remarked: "A soft answer turneth away wrath, and vice versa. We should all keep polite tongues in our heads. Only last night I heard a very fat man say with a loud laugh to a bowlegged friend: 'Jim, old man, you look as if you'd been riding a barrel!'" "And you," snapped Jim sourly, "look as if you'd swallowed one."

Lets Him Out.

Mrs. Nagger—Oh, James, how awkward! Mr. Smith has come, and how we shall be thirteen at table. Mr. Nagger—What then? Mrs. Nagger (with a shriek)—Why, one of us will die before the year is out! Mr. Nagger (brutally)—Never mind; I'm tough.—London Pick-Me-Up.

A Cute Child.

"Every time the baby looks into my face he smiles," said Mr. Meekins. "Well," answered his wife, "it may not be exactly polite, but it shows he has a sense of humor."

A Mean Comment.

The Man—She looks nice enough to eat. The Woman—M-y-e-s; plain food seems to appeal to some people.—London Illustrated Bits.

Kills to Stop the Fiend.

The worst foe for 12 years of John Doye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over \$400.00 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures Fever Sores, Boils, Felons, Eczema, Salt Rheum. Infallible for Piles, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns. 25-cent all druggists. 37-1m

AUTHORITY ON AMATEUR SPORTS

E. C. Brown, Now A. A. U. Leader, Fond of Athletics.

ONCE A CHAMPION SCULLER.

Sees Much in Future For Clean and Healthy Sport—Does Not Believe That Present Football Rules Should Be Radically Changed—Enjoys Good Boxing Match.

Everett C. Brown, the new president of the Amateur Athletic union, is the kind of a man who likes to see two healthy boys wrestling in the school yard. He likes a good game of football and enjoys a good boxing match. In fact, there isn't a branch of athletics that he does not approve of. He pulled a strong oar in his day and has taken part in all sorts of aquatic sports. No athletic club in the United States has better divers and swimmers or a better water polo team than the Chicago Athletic club, of which Mr. Brown is president, and he takes unusual interest in this branch of the sport.

Mr. Brown sees great things in store for the United States athletically. "Although our athletes lead the world now," said Mr. Brown, "we will have even greater athletes in the future, because no country in the world gives the attention to the physical development of the youth as we do in this country. The school playground is a great institution, and it is there that our athletes are developed. In every part of the country the schoolboys are getting more and more in touch with out of door sports, and that's why when they grow up they are able to compete successfully against the world. The United States is the only country that is paying out millions in amateur athletics."

Ever Ready to Better Conditions.

"Amateur athletic affairs in this country are in excellent condition, and I do not believe that any radical reform is necessary. But the Amateur Athletic union is always ready to better amateur conditions, and if any phase of the amateur sport needs reformation the Amateur Athletic union will be only too anxious to meet the situation."

Mr. Brown is an ardent football enthusiast, and, while admitting that the game is rough and has dangerous features, he does not believe that it ought to be radically changed. He believes that further changes in the rules could be made that would lessen the danger of mass play, but he is not in favor of abolishing tackling or scrimmaging, the two exciting features of American football, which, he says, make the gridiron game such a thrilling sport.

Another branch of sport of which Mr. Brown is especially fond is boxing. "There is no more reason for stopping professional boxing than there is professional wrestling, or, for that matter, any other branch of sport," said Mr. Brown. "It is good, healthy, manly exercise and calls for courage and skill and could be regulated and maintained at a high standard among athletic sports."

Active in Athletic Meets.

For five years Mr. Brown has given up much of his time to the athletic teams of the Chicago Athletic club. He took teams to the St. Louis exposition, to competitions in the south and east and had the Chicago A. A. athletes at Seattle and other big athletic carnivals on the coast. He was with the American team at the Olympic games last year and has had an active part in athletic affairs of every kind.

The new president was a champion sculler. In 1888 he won the junior sculling championship at Philadelphia, representing the Farragut Boat club of Chicago. He won the Mississippi championship under the auspices of the Chicago Navy in 1890 and established a record scull, going over a course on Calumet lake, Chicago, in which there was one turn in 10 minutes 5 seconds. He competed in all the big regattas as a member of the Farragut Boat club crews and was also a member of the club's other athletic teams.

Mr. Brown was born in Oneida, Ill., and attended the Chicago grammar and high schools. He attended the Chicago College of Law and the law department of Lake Forest university, receiving a degree of bachelor of law from the latter institution.

Mr. Brown first became identified with the Amateur Athletic union in 1903, when he was sent as a delegate from the Chicago Athletic association. He is a member of the Chicago Yacht club, the South Shore Country club and is general manager of a live stock commission company.

She Was the Ghost.

"A certain lady and her family," says Mr. Mount Stuart Grant-Duff in his "Diary," "hired a place in Scotland which was haunted by the ghost of a woman who was to be seen constantly at night wandering through the rooms and passages. When the family arrived the lady was much struck with the place and said, 'I must have been here before, for I know this place so well, only there ought to be two rooms here, and there is only one.'"

"The agent replied that within a few weeks the owner had caused a partition to be taken down and made the two rooms into one. Still the lady was puzzled at her knowledge of the place till she remembered that it was a house she used to go to in her dreams."

"Well, some time passed, and the agent was up at the house again, when the lady complained that one part of the contract had not been fulfilled. They had hired a house and a ghost for the summer, and no ghost had been seen. The agent replied: 'Of course not, because you are the ghost. We recognized you the moment we saw you.'"

Why They Were Selected.

It has been recorded that General Henry Knox in 1783 was the "greatest" of eleven distinguished officers of the army, weighing 250 pounds. Noah Brooks in his book entitled "Henry Knox" gives the following incident relating to the general's full habit:

With a Captain Sargent he was selected to present the hard case of the starving and naked men at Valley Forge to the attention of a committee of congress. One of the congressmen, wishing to show his wit and sarcasm, said that he had never seen a fatter man than General Knox nor a better dressed man than his associate. Knox managed to keep his temper and remained silent, but his subordinate retorted, "The corps out of respect to congress and themselves have sent as their representatives the only man who had an ounce of superfluous flesh on his body and the only other man who possessed a complete suit of clothes."

Wanted a Pattern.

A ragged Irishman was charged in a London court a short time ago with tendering a counterfeit shilling in payment for a penny loaf.

Though forlorn in aspect, he was not

Women as Well as Men are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers who found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Adler's Chamois Gloves for men, the latest thing, sold only by Chittenden & Co. 37

A Broken Back.

That pain in your back caused by lumbago, stiff muscles or a strain is an "aw" thing to get rid of. Ballard's Snow Liniment cures rheumatism, lumbago, sore and stiff muscles, strains, sprains, cuts, burns, bruises, scalds and all aches and pains. You need a bottle in your house. Sold by Hardee-Smith Co., druggists. 37-1m

Had Had His.

Sloux Chief—Why didn't you torture the baldhead? Plute Chief—What was the use? He had been married for twenty years.—Buffalo Express

For Sale.

200 bushels of May oats. A few high grade Saropaire buck lambs; fifty brown leghorn hens, the best layers in the world. Apply to G. G. Gibbs. 35 1m

Characteristic of his countrymen. He stated that he was sent for the last by a person at a public house close by, who gave him the coin to pay for it, and that on discovering it was not good he bought the coin for three half-pence.

The Magistrate—How came you to buy the shilling after you had discovered it was a bad one?

The prisoner, with much apparent gravity, replied:

"Sure, then, your honor, I bought it so that if I should happen to have a bad one offered to me I might know it by looking at the one I had with me!"

There was a burst of laughter, and the rogue was dismissed with a caution.

When the President Lost His Hat.

The Crystal Palace exhibition opened at New York July 15, 1853, was the first affair of this kind in the country for which foreign exhibits were solicited. The "big show" began with a procession, in which President Franklin Pierce, mounted, was a conspicuous feature. The hero of the day rode a mettlesome steed, and while proceeding up Wall street the presidential headgear, a new silk hat of the prevalent style, was incontinently tumbled to the pavement. Another horse recklessly stepped upon the unfortunate tile, crushing it out of the semblance to itself, besmearing it with mud—real Wall street mud. What was left of the misshapen and bedaubed hat was worn by the president, to the great amusement of the spectators, until a substitute could be secured.

A Witty Retort.

One day while dining with the secretary of the admiralty William IV., then heir presumptive to the British crown, said: "When I am king, sir, you shall not be the secretary of the admiralty, I promise you. What do you say to that, eh?"

"All I can respond in such case," returned the witty official, "is, 'God save the king!'"—St. Louis Republic.

Ruling on Chinese Nationality.

By China's new law on nationality any person who has lived in China over ten years and is above twenty-one years of age, of good moral standing, being helpful to China, may be allowed to assume Chinese nationality.

The Newest Things.

MY customers cannot be expected to know the latest improvement in heating, lighting, and plumbing. That is my work, and I keep daily in touch with the offerings of the inventive manufacturers and thus learn of the newest and best things in my line.

As I sell none but Reliable Goods, bearing the makers name and guarantee, and employ none but skilled labor, I am in a position to sell you the Right Equipment for your Building, city or Country. It is all the same to me where you are I can supply you with a heating, lighting, plumbing, sewage disposal and water plant.

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